



MISS BEATRICE BENOIT AND MIDSHIPMAN CARL B. RUSSELL,  
FIRST CLASS, U. S. NAVAL ACADEMY

## Patriotic Dances Are A Colorful Success

**Bea Benoit and Midshipman Russell Lead  
Figure For Red, White, and Blue Formal**

Miss Beatrice Marie Benoit with her escort Midshipman Carl B. Russell, First Class, United States Naval Academy, led the figure of the Red White and Blue Formal. Miss Benoit is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George N. Benoit of Brighton Road, Washington, D. C. She is a freshman at Mary Washington College and a major in history, with a minor in dramatics. Miss Benoit was editor of her high-school paper at McKinley High School in Washington, where she gained honor awards for dramatics and journalism. At Mary Washington she is a member of the Mary Washington Players, the Terrapin Club and the Bullet staff.

Midshipman Carl B. Russell, First Class, United States Naval Academy, is the son of Mr. Roy Russell and Mrs. Eva Frazee, Dayton, Ohio. Midshipman Russell, like many other young officers, will be in the graduating class June, 1942, instead of 1943, due to the accelerated program war-time measure by the President of the United States.

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## "On To Victory" Homecoming Theme

Homecoming comes but once a year, and this year the alumnae are scheduled to return the week-end of the 27 of February. This homecoming week-end is made possible through the joint loyal efforts of the Athletic Association and the Alumnae Association but in order for it to be successful, it needs the sincere cooperation and support of every member of Mary Washington College.

### Theme Is Defense

Homecoming is the one big week-end when the alumnae return to their alma mater to relive some of the happy college day experiences. This year the motto is "All Out For Defense and On To Victory".

Crowded into two days will be a huge and varied program. Fri-

## Bowers Added To Psychology Staff

Since the departure of Dr. Jaul John Ritter to the United States Army, there has been a new member added to the faculty of Mary Washington College to take Dr. Ritter's psychology classes for the duration.

Dr. Roy B. Bowers comes to us from the University of Cincinnati where he taught at the Teachers College there. Previous to his appointment at Mary Washington, Dr. Bowers was Superintendent of the Bristol School at Bristol, Va. where he has been affiliated for nineteen years.

Dr. Bowers received his first two degrees at Carson Newman College and he also studied in Chicago and for two years at the University of Cincinnati. Here on the hill Dr. Bowers will teach psychology and perhaps education.

Outside of his educational  
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The Federal Government is sending out a plea that students who are eligible enter the Government Training Schools for Physiotherapy. In the past graduates of Mary Washington Physical Education Dept. were not eligible to enter the government schools without additional study. The department now offers additional courses so that graduates of this year are automatically qualified to pursue this specialized course.

To date approximately 300 students at Mary Washington College have taken the First Course this year. Plans are now under way to offer the Advanced First Aid Course, and the Instructors Course. Red Cross Volunteer First Aid Detachment Groups are being organized on the campus. The purpose of this organization is to be prepared to serve the immediate community in the event of an emergency. Each detachment shall consist of not less than 15 or more than 50 persons. Enrollment is to be for a 12 month period. Each detachment shall be so divided that five persons, including a leader will compose a squad. Each squad meets for practice and actual service in times of emergency.

The Athletic Association is continuing to sponsor the recreational program. During the Winter quarter intramurals and interclass tournaments in basketball, two Modern Dance Clubs, Swimming, and Hiking Clubs are being sponsored by this group. In addition special parties are planned for Saturday nights when no other form of recreation is being sponsored by the college.

The college is planning to have organized groups devoted to Bandage making, Posture Emphasis, Dietetic Emphasis, and Home Nursing. The theme of the year is physical fitness. Each Mary Washington girl 100 per cent physically fit.

## Sigma Tau Chi Sponsors Follow-Up Program

Sigma Tau Chi, the commercial organization of Mary Washington College is busy at many projects this term. Most important at the present is the sponsoring of a "follow-up" program of all commercial majors who have not returned to Mary Washington. This is being carried on for all four classes; freshman, sophomore, juniors and seniors.

The general procedure is to send a questionnaire to the former student, most of whom now hold positions in the business world. The questions ask the students what subjects they took in school are now proving most helpful in their work; they inquire about

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## Dept. Of Health and Ph. Ed. Plan For Emergency

## Defense Benefit Versatile Affair

**Bill Dudley Picks '42 Sweater Girl**

## Dance Recital Colorful and Original With Jazz-Ma-Taz

The Senior Modern Dance Club gave its annual recital Wednesday night in George Washington auditorium. The program was sponsored and directed by Miss Mildred Stewart.

Exhibiting throughout this program development of body beauty and endurance; the dancers showed flexibility, balance, and remarkable control.

Included on the program was "Harmonica Player," an original composition from the Dance Club of 1940. This dance, based upon music by David Guion, is a gay, rollicking dance, based upon the square dance of America.

Following this was a modern original interpretation of the Viennese Waltz, "Waltz in Romance." Continued on Page 3

## 'True Patriotism Displayed In Stamp Sales

During the first month that defense stamps have been sold in the booth outside the college shoppe, the sale has amounted to approximately \$750. The weekly average has been \$187. On a single day \$79.85 worth of stamps was sold, and the smallest amount has been \$2.95.

The rush hour at the Victory Booth seems to be between eleven-thirty and twelve-thirty each day.

Many and varied are the reasons the students present as they purchase their bit in the United States. On being approached at the booth, Mary Elizabeth Lewis said: "Herbert and I are buying bonds together and in 1952 we're to build our home."

Mary Jane Studds: "For National Defense."

Nancy Morse: "Because I've got fifty pennies, and I want to put them to good use."

Clara Virginia Davis: "To fill up my book so that I can get a bond."

Marian Powelson: "For every dollar I break I buy a twenty-five cent defense stamp."

Ada Shackelford: "To help our country as much as I can."

Diddle Laushey: "I'm spending my change for defense stamps instead of for cokes and candy."

Dr. Castle: "To put in my daughter's book of stamps."

The class of '44 has done it again. This benefit this year promises to be a whirlwind of originality and fun. It's to be held on Friday night, the 20th of February in Monroe gym at 7:45.

This is the first time that a class has given the proceeds from their annual benefit to something other than their own use. This year the Sophomore class decided to turn the entire net proceeds over to defense. In this way they not only provide amusement and recreation for the rest of the student body, but they do their little bit to help their country win this war.

The benefit is going to be a versatile affair with just about every kind of entertainment possible. There will be a defense dance with all the girls wearing sweaters and skirts. During the evening there will be a fashion show with clothes from stores in downtown Fredericksburg featured. The models for the fashion show are

all girls from the sophomore class and include: Ruth Cowan, Marionette Klimesmith, Kitty Murphy, Sylvia Herbst, Mary Louise Porter, Betty Williamson, Sara Davis, Mary MacCrane, Marjorie Martele and Annette Warren. They will model spring fashions in evening wear, sports clothes, afternoon frocks and spring suits and coats.

The talk of the campus has been the sweater girl contest which will take place after the

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## Graves Urges Summer School

Mr. Graves, head of the elementary department of education at Mary Washington College, has announced that his program for the winter quarter is functioning very successfully. According to the usual system, senior elementary education majors were selected in January to serve their apprenticeship in nearby elementary schools. All of these lie within a radius of sixty-five miles of Fredericksburg. During this quarter eight girls are doing this apprentice work. They are placed only in schools which have adapted the new teaching curriculum.

When asked about his field work in connection with present world situations, Mr. Graves stated that the program would remain unchanged except for the stress being put on attendance of summer school. He said that it is most urgent that prospective teachers attend the summer session and finish early. It is their duty in helping to relieve the alarming shortage of teachers throughout the country.

## Oh! Spring!

Ah, Spring! And that strange pounding in the breast! It does things to one. One goes around with a glassy stare. One reels with unwarranted sleepiness and boredom. It has been said for eons that this is Spring fever. Let us assure you, it isn't. It's a lack of sleep and boredom!

That this happens to be the middle of February and Spring is not officially due for practically centuries yet, has nothing to do with it. We are just getting you in the mood and getting you prepared.

Let us give you the low-down on how to deal with Spring. First, ignore all admonitions to stir your stumps and get down to business. We have been wallowing around with Winter so long it is about time we sort of got reconciled to the other whimsies of nature. Spring is one of the most beautiful seasons of the year—along with Winter, Summer, and Fall. There is something about mud, Spring colds, and driving rain that endears us all to this glorious time of year. Get out in the elements and breathe the cool clean air. Wander down all the lanes and by-ways looking for shy violets. (If you find any, report all such findings to the OCD, they need 'em). Gambol with the squirrels, frolic with the cats, give your all to get Spring in your blood.

Second, this is the time when Eastern War time will really come into its advantages. After dinner there will be a short period before study hour when there will be plenty of light and soft balmy winds. All this is conducive of remaining out side on the lawns to whistle at all the town boys who wander up on the hill to see how we are getting along without them. (They think they're wonderful—so there's no need to destroy their trust).

That is just about all for now, but if you need any more aid call on us. Right now we're going out to practice what we preach and see how it feels.

## Bull Session

All students wishing to express their opinions on campus affairs are asked to address their articles to the Bull Session Column.

A letter has been sent to Mrs. Snyder, director of publicity, and one of the sponsors of the Bulletin, thanking her for the work which Mary Washington College did in the March of Dimes Program and the drive against infantile paralysis. The letter, signed by Mr. Benjamin Pitts, Chairman for Fredericksburg, Virginia Infantile Paralysis Campaign, reads as follows:

Mrs. Martha W. Snyder  
Mary Washington College  
Fredericksburg, Virginia  
My dear Mrs. Snyder:  
The brilliant campaign against Infantile Paralysis has shown once more the splendid spirit of citizenship which we enjoy in Fredericksburg. Your willing cooperation in this campaign gave promise from the outset of the high goal we have attained. I am sure that you felt, as I did, that there is a deeper concern in this understanding than the mere raising of money, even for the beautiful cause of controlling Infantile Paralysis, and that is the strengthening and extension of the capacity for united service by a united people, who today face the bitter choice of desperate war or hopeless loss of all that they hold dear.

Infantile Paralysis has not yet been conquered, nor has America established peace throughout the world, but in this as an every worthy fight, we can remember, and be strengthened by the thought, that the end of war is victory.

I am indeed grateful to you, the faculty and students of the Mary Washington College for your splendid cooperation in connection with this campaign.

Sincerely yours,  
Benj. T. Pitts,

Chairman for Fredericksburg, Va. Infantile Paralysis Campaign.

Dear Editor:

This week, I think, more than any other week, some of us have been conscious of the hardship that is worked upon both students and faculty members by having professors go out on lecture tours for the college. I'm not objecting the least to this policy, but on the contrary am completely in favor of this method of bringing our school before the eyes of high school graduates.

However, I've recently been thinking about some modification in this lecture tour proposition. It might sound silly, but it is a thought. My idea is this: After having spent four years as a student at Mary Washington College, I think a Senior is really as conscious of the advantages to be had in a Mary Washington Education as anyone else. With this in mind, why couldn't we have selected students accompany faculty and officials on these tours? I'm not trying, of course, to belittle the ability and capability of our faculty. It just seems that students could talk to girls in small groups and tell them about more personal matters connected with the school, matters that perhaps some of the staff may not be in a position to discuss.

I don't know exactly how these lectures are conducted in the various high schools, but I believe that pictures, motion pictures that have been actually filmed here on the campus, (Continued on page 3)

## Knitting Corps News

I have heard that some of those who would like to knit and also some of those who have already volunteered, are not knitting because the Chapter here in town is so "prissy" about the work. This charge against the Chapter is not true. There is a difference between wanting to do something for Defense and doing it creditably, and in wanting to "put in time" and get credit for it. This is true with anything — knitting is not.

One pair of socks has been returned to be redone—and Jean Randall can tell us why they were returned. She is redoing them.

Suffice it to say, that when a job has been so poorly done that much darning is necessary to close up the holes. That "knitter" just went through the motions with no thought or care of whether or not the finished product would be usable.

One sweater was returned to be redone. It was for an eight year old child. The body of the sweater would have fitted a fourteen year old, except that it was too short. Such a sweater would not be usable for any size.

The Chapter is not unduly "prissy" about the work. They merely are asking for effort to be spent in such a manner that the finished product is usable. And certainly, if we are really in earnest about wanting to help in the emergency, we should be willing to do a good job of whatever we are doing.

At present, there is wool on hand for five more pairs of socks and twenty-one sweaters. Needles for both have come in in the stores in town. A reasonable period of time is allowed for any article to be finished before it is asked for by the Chapter. More wool is available as soon as we are in a position to use it.

Some two hundred students

volunteered for knitting. Let's Go! Come to Willard on Monday, Thursday or Saturday afternoons from 4 to 6.

Complete work has been turned in as follows: Socks: Grace Ball, Henrietta Beck, Dorothy Drake, Nell Early, Ann Foster, Alice Fuller, Shirley Hunter, Betty Onley, Nathalie Kearns, Jean Randall, Ellen Van Oz, and Jean Williamson; Children's Sweaters: Audrey Armstrong, Marjorie Baldwin, Betty Leedom, Alice Straughan, Betty Taylor and Anna Belle Watts; Navy Hospital Sweaters: Joan Feaster, Lorraine Green, Helen Starnell, Betty Taylor and Betty Leedom.

Other work being done and almost finished: Socks: Janet Fitzsimmons, Yvonne Hall, Pat Jones, Marguerite Klenck, Ellen Plummer, Kathryn Price, Alfreda Steele, and Nancy Tucker; Navy Hospital Sweaters: Winifred Granger, Mary Frances Hehle, Betty Hughes, Sallie Jacob, Ann Kavanaugh, Margaret Lamberth, Mildred MacPherson, Betty Whitaker Hunter; Children's Sweaters: Betty Austin, Tillie Bronstein, Betty Dolan, Gloria Epstein, Kermie Eskridge, Margaret Falls, Louise Jacques, Pat Jones, Edith Leitch, Marion Lunnberg, Lillie Macheras, Jane Manning, Myra Mitchell, Catherine Murphy, Rose Ortiz-Gonzales, Shirley Patrick, Rose Roney, Ruth Rummelsburg, Mary Beth Smith, Jean Talley, Mildred Tally, and Rita Unruh.

Recently begun: Socks: Grace Ball, Henrietta Beck, Cutler Crump, Dorothy Drake, Shirley Hunter, Nathalie Kearns, Janet Keefer, Charlotte Johnson, Inez Tuggle, Anna Belle Watts; Children's Sweaters: Marjorie Baldwin, Betty Bennett, Alice Burton, Sarah Dabbs, Monika Dahl, Joan Feaster, Betty Leedom, Virginia Nauman, and Helen Starnell.

## NOTES FROM A PROF

Dr. Edwards

It was my good fortune to attend a meeting of the Virginia State Nutrition Committee in Lynchburg, Virginia on January 31, of this year. For the first time I met many of the members of this excellent committee of which Dr. Mildred Tate of Virginia Polytechnic Institute is chairman.

This Nutrition Committee has gained the support and cooperation of various state agencies including the Department of Education, the Home Demonstration Service, the State Planning Board, the N. Y. A., the W. P. A., and the Home Economics Department and Rural Sociology Division of the Experiment Station of Virginia Polytechnic Institute. All of these agencies have aided in a study for the Committee of Nutrition of school children in selected counties in Virginia.

A preliminary report of this Nutrition study was presented at the Lynchburg meeting. The re-

sults of the study suggests why so much is being said about the importance of nutrition at this time when our country needs the help of sturdy citizens in building a strong defense against our aggressors.

Of the approximately 3,000 school children whose diets were studied only two thirds were getting the amount of the protective foods recommended by reliable nutrition standards. The diet of children in rural areas was slightly poorer than those of urban children.

The urban white children were 5 per cent better nourished than rural white children. While urban negro children were 10 per cent better nourished than rural negro children.

In some counties, as on the Eastern Shore, only slightly more than half of the children were getting an adequate diet—while in Danville, 75 per cent of the white

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## DISK DUST

Lee Hall

Leonard Warren, one of the Metropolitan's leading baritones, voices two familiar French arias on a 12-inch Victor Red Seal Record. One side is the "Invocation" from the second act of Faust, and the other is from Tales of Hoffman—"Aria Dappertutto."

For some solid rhythm, try Vaughn Monroe's "Somebody Nobody Loves," a la Monroe and Marilyn Duke. "Loretta"

(on the back) reminds us a lot of "Dolores" in that it has the same "catchiness."

Artie Shaw does very well indeed by two new pop tunes from "The Fleet's In." "Absent Minded Moon" gives him a chance to show off that sizzling clarinet. There is more of piano, sax, and singing in "Not Mine," with only a couple of spots saved for the clarinet.

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## Snooper Scoops

A line which might interest a few of our Tech readers—First Lieutenant Bill Cowarf is now in England. Bill is a grad of V. P. I. class of '40.

The Freshman class takes the lead again—Mim Waters had the navy pulling all oars for her—one in particular, Jess Naylor of the academy.

Lorraine Green is seen wearing a beautiful double crest locket. Gracious doner—Jim.

All radiantly happy but awful tired—Midge returned Wednesday from Atlanta, Georgia where she visited Edmund.

Mrs. Allen Sutter formerly Miss Ruth Conover, is now receiving best wishes from all of us. She was married Sunday to Captain Allen Sutter of the United States Marine Corps.

Charlotte, Bertha and Hilda are doing themselves proud at Wake Forrest this weekend.

Dottie Harrington was more than perturbed because of an overcut in philosophy—don't worry gal—it has been done before.

Anne Givler is whistling and singing "Bill" these days. This is another 'lil gal who is all for the navy.

First date, half blind at that, resulted in a picture of Woodie and Alyce.

Talking about optimism, you should have heard the residents of 109, 107 Madison naming their children.

Diddy Laushey hit the Valentine jack-pot—2 tele-

## Letter To The Editor

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showing scenery and shots from everyday life on the hill, would help more in getting a picture of what the school is actually like, than mere words can.

It may seem that I am sticking my nose in where I have no business, but I don't intend this suggestion to be taken that way. It's just that I know we have a lot to offer any girl who comes here, and I think there are a lot of girls who would take pride in going out and helping the faculty show other people what we've got up here.

## MOVIE

The movie to be shown this week is "Lives of a Bengal Lancer." Starring in the picture are Gary Cooper and Franchot Tone. The movie will begin at 8 o'clock and will be shown in Monroe Auditorium. Dr. Herman Reichenback, of the music faculty, has been projecting the films since Dr. Ritter left.

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Mary Patten and Dottie are off to Dahlgren to the officer's dance.

Vera is going with Bus again—hmm—where have heard that name before?

Did you notice the little freshman who had a date for a whole week? Besides making the school co-ed she got gardenias Saturday night and an orchid Sunday.

Dot Reynolds came back Sunday night a very blue little gal, but Carl helped the situation a great deal by calling her Monday—my what a wonder-ful invention these telephones were.

Marie Seay is off to the University of Virginia Saturday to see the boxing matches with Syracuse.

Ole Harvey has got it bad and that ain't good but Nerry likes it—getting a letter a day—and who doesn't envy her?

WELCOME back "Bapple" we'll all be over to Westmoreland 308 to see you.

## Patriotic Dances

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The Victory Tea Dance and the Red, White, and Blue Formal were truly colorful, patriotic affairs. Music for the Tea Dance held in Monroe Gym was provided by Jesse Pyne and his orchestra. The gym was decorated with red, white, and blue streamers, and the high percentage of men in Uncle Sam's uniforms made the dance truly patriotic. Jesse Pyne again furnished music for the prom in the Hall of Mirrors. Many girls in gown of red, white, or blue emphasized the theme of the Formal. About 108 girls with their guests attended the prom, and all vouch for the fun they had.

## An Evening Snack

Warner Bros. director Michael Curtiz, who never eats lunch, often devours a whole chicken for his evening dinner, or has a two-pound steak.

## Miss Stewart Named To Nat'l Health Committee

Miss Mildred P. Stewart has been made State Representative on the National Committee for Legislation and Preparedness, organized by the American Association of Health, Physical Education and Recreation. The primary purpose of this committee is to interpret the fields of Health, Physical Education and Recreation to the general public.

## Dance Recital

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do Form," with music by Levin Houston, III, of Mary Washington music faculty.

In contrast to the preceding form dance was "Jazz-Ma Taz," an original composition presented last year for the first time. It is a modern composition, showing the influence of jazz in pattern and step. The music was composed by Rose Ronci.

Rosemary Fairbanks did an excellent interpretation of a gruesome "Bali Ritual."

Bringing the program to a close was "A Study in Moods," the club's latest composition which depicts the many emotions of human life.

The members of the dancing group are: Lillias Scott, Susan Johnson, Rosemary Fairbanks, Anne Cook, Mary Anne Meyer, Myran Russell, Kathleen Adams, Anne Harris, Peggy Moran, Frances Willis, Margaret Throp, Penny Bien, Nell Randolph Harrison, and Bertha Dickenson.

The ability of the dancers and their director, the attractive costuming; the accompaniment of Rose Ronci, Beulah Spain, and Edna Reed; and the skillful managing of lights by Mary Vaughan Heazel—all worked together to produce a most effective, entertaining program.

More than half of Humphrey Bogart's fan mail urges him to return, post haste, to villainy.

## Student Personality

We walked into her room, and there she was—enthusiastic as usual. Eyes sparkling, she exclaimed "I'm so excited! Bill Dudley has consented to come down and judge the sweater girl contest!"

You guessed it! We mean Dot Woodson, that dark eyed darling who hails from Clifton Forge, Va. What we like is the way she sparkles. We'd like some of that energy to use on ourselves!

Dot is a sophomore majoring in English; also takes typing and shorthand extra. (More power to you, Dot! We wish we were as ambitious.) Besides being sophomore class president and kept plenty busy with class affairs, Dot also finds time for Cotillion Club, Alpha Phi Sigma, Leader's Club, the B. S. U., and work in the dining hall. Not bad, say we!

Dot likes dancing, swimming, picnics, group singing, and skating. Most like an actual hobby, however, is her interest in people.

She says: "I like all types of people—yet not to study or analyze. I find them more interesting than any other material things I can think of."

She likes to strike up acquaintances with all the people with whom she is brought in contact.

It seems people also like Dot!



DOT WOODSON

Take that handsome Theta Chi from the University of Richmond—we mean the football and semi-pro baseball player. But then, if Dot looked at us with those big eyes, we'd feel the same!

Dot plans to teach school upon completing college, while friends wonder what man will change her mind for. Good luck, Dot!

## Sigma Tau Chi

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the office equipment used most in the modern office of today and any new equipment that might be in the field; they also ask the student what subjects, if any, that weren't offered at school, might have helped him or her if they had been offered and they had taken them in preparation for their jobs.

The questionnaires are then returned to the commercial organization and studied.

zation and studied.

This project is in the making and as yet not much can be said of the results but it seems sure to prove successful.

Some of the members are working on the state-wide commercial contest to be held here in April for the high schools in Virginia. Sigma Tau Chi is also working in collaboration with the Department of Commerce on this project.

The organization is planning to take in a large pledge class sometime in the near future.

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## Modern Dance Group To Go To Farmville

This coming Saturday, Feb. 21, a group of Modern Dancers will represent Mary Washington College at the Dance Symposium of Virginia Colleges held at Farmville State Teachers College.

Colleges that will be represented are Chapel Hill College, North Carolina, the only out of state college, Sweet Briar, Madison, Farmville, and Mary Washington.

The students from Mary Washington College who will go to Farmville are Lillas Scott, Myran Russell, Ann Harris, Peggy Moran, Margaret Throp, and Frances Willis. They are to participate in technique classes in the morning. In the afternoon, the representatives are divided into three groups for original compositions. The Mary Washington girls will present a technique study of their own, "Jazz Ma Taz" and a "Study in Moods."

The group will spend the night at the Farmville State Teachers College and return here Sunday.

### Homecoming

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In the LaFayette Elementary School, Miss Dew was former president of the Alumnae Association of the Fredericksburg Chapter and is now a director of the International Alumnae Association.

The program will open with the entire student body singing "America," Edna Reed at the organ. A special section will be set aside for the visiting alumnae.

All alumnae who did not register Friday night will register Saturday in Westmoreland Hall from 8:30 A. M. — 12:30 P. M. and from 2:00 — 4:00 P. M. If any student has invited an alumna to visit her, please report the name of the guest and your room number to Miss Lavinia Ellett, who is in charge of registration.

Since alumnae like to see the new sights on campus and visit old classes, sight-seeing trips are being arranged at 9:30 A. M., 10:30 A. M., and 11:30 A. M. All interested in going on these trips will please meet in front of Monroe Hall at one of the given hours.

**Alumnae To Attend Victory Luncheon**

Saturday at 12:45 P. M., alumnae, faculty, and Athletic Association members who plan to attend the Victory Luncheon to be held in the downstairs unit of Seacobeck Hall will meet in the front of Monroe. A nominal charge of 35c will be made for this luncheon.

Mrs. Dodd has been invited to be the guest speaker for this occasion. The luncheon will formally open with the allegiance to the flag and the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner." It is hoped that all who plan to attend will notify Miss Virginia Hawley in Virginia 301 at their earliest convenience.

Immediately following the luncheon, a short but important business meeting of the Alumnae Association will be held in the Seacobeck Dome Room. At this time the new officers for the coming year will be elected. Reports of the present treasurer and the local chapter will be given.

Bridge will be played in Westmoreland Hall between 2:00-3:00 P. M. At 3:00 P. M. the officers of the International Association will be honored at a tea in the Dome Room of Seacobeck Hall.

### Juniors Tie

#### Freshmen 17-17

In the most exciting Class Basketball Game of the season, and the one with the smallest audience, the Juniors tied the Freshmen 17-17, Tuesday night in the gym.

#### Teams Battle Neck and Neck

Bringing the audience or most of them down to the court as officials delayed the game considerably but when it got started, it was a very fast game. The new center throw in speeds the game up tremendously. The Freshmen were in the center first and with three successful passes had scored the first goal of the game. Following that there was the play of the ball back and forth with out much scoring. First quarter ended with the score 4-3 in favor of the Freshmen.

Harrison, of the Freshmen, usually to be counted on was off on her shots tonight, although high scorer with 12 points. Then too Beachamp for the Juniors disturbed all the Freshmen forwards with her fast, clean interceptions and her nice guarding near the basket. Second quarter ended with a close score 7-6, still in favor of the Freshmen.

#### Browning Ties Score For Freshmen

From then on the battle was neck and neck. Third quarter the score was 11-11. The last quarter was played like a whirlwind, first one team scoring and then the other. A minute before the game ended, the Juniors lead 17-15, only to have Browning come in for the Freshmen and tie the score with a field goal a few seconds before the game ended. Bonny, of the Juniors, had recently put the Junior Team ahead. Her play was excellent.

#### LINE-UP

Freshmen	Juniors
Harrison --- RF	Tracey
Trimble --- LF	Allison
Sanford --- CF	C. Moore
Campbell --- RG	LaPorte
Breeding --- LG	Beachamp
Devers --- CG	Wilkinson

Subs.: (Freshmen) Bradder, Ames, Browning, Robinson, Waters, Harris, Pittman (Juniors) M. Moore, Tyler.

The present officers of the Alumnae Association, the presidents of the local chapters, directors for the local chapters and the Athletic Association officers will receive the guests. All who plan to attend this function are requested to notify Miss Virginia Hawley, Virginia 301, not later than Tuesday, February 24th. All faculty, alumnae, and Athletic Association members are invited to attend. Mrs. Morgan L. Combs and Mrs. Charles Lake Bushnell have been asked to preside at the tea table.

#### Varsity-Alumnae Basketball, The Big Event

The Varsity team of Mary Washington College will meet the Alumnae team in an exciting basketball game in Monroe Gym. Let's make this an occasion for every member of the college. Immediately following will be an informal dance in the gym which is open to the entire student body, faculty and alumnae. This dance will officially close the Homecoming week-end.

## M. W. C. Represented At Dance Symposium

The state "Dance Symposium" has invited Mary Washington College Modern Dance Club to be represented at Farmville State Teachers College tomorrow evening. The group from Mary Washington will demonstrate some of their dances on the "All College Program" given then.

Miss Mildred P. Stewart, head of the Physical Education department will teach techniques in one of the sections attending the symposium.

Students who will represent Mary Washington at Farmville are: Myran Russell, Lillas Scott, Ann Harris, Frances Willis, and Peggy Moran.

### Bowers Added

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interests, Dr. Bowers is indeed an outdoor man, being particularly fond of fishing and hiking. Besides these two sports, Dr. Bowers is especially fond of mushrooms and everything connected with them.

Of Fredericksburg and the college Dr. Bowers has only praise and we wish him all the success possible while he is here with us.

### Defense Benefit

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fashion show. All the girls interested may enter this contest to be judged by none other than Bill Dudley, All-American football hero! This promises to be the hit of the evening.

In the further interests of defense there will be a huge chocolate cake raffled off to the winner of the lucky ticket. Whoever wins will certainly be a popular person!

All this fun and entertainment can be had for the small price of twenty cents including tax and raffle. They are on sale in all the dormitories and at the door on Friday night. They will undoubtedly go very quickly so get yours early and be sure.

The members of all the committees are to be congratulated on all their fine work and co-operation.

Have you seen Hebe? Sweater girl 305 B. C. Don't look now, but it's a definite improvement!!

### Notes From A Prof

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children were having a diet considered adequate.

The report stated that "The major food classes in each rural and urban racial group ranks as follows in order of decreasing percentage adequacy: (1) meat, (2) fruit, (3) milk and milk products, (4) vegetables, and (5) whole-grain cereals."

It was evident from the study that the diets of these children might have been considerably improved by education if parents had made a better selection of available foods. Hence the challenge for a program in nutrition education which will reach all families in the state and enable Virginia to contribute its full share in advancing the health standards of the country.

As fast as possible plans will be put into action to carry more information about how to choose satisfactory foods and how to care for and prepare them so as to preserve all their valuable nutritive properties.

All of us have opportunities to carry the message of good nutrition by word and example to many other individuals. Let's each do our share, first by observing good nutrition rules in our own food habits and second, by aiding as many as we can to learn more about the foods needed in an adequate diet.

## Beauty Contest Winner



The winner of the Bullet Male Beauty Contest is John Mosley, who is an actor. This picture was presented by Gillette Mingea. Honorable mention in the contest is awarded to Carl Russell, Midshipman, who was submitted by Bea Benoit and Thomas Murphy, twin brother of Kitty Murphy.

All girls who submitted pictures may get them from Westmoreland 210.

P. S. The picture of the aviator in last week's Bullet was submitted by Betty Strohecker.

## Seniors Come Back To Defeat Sophomores

Thursday night, Feb. 12, the Senior Basketball Team made a comeback performance to defeat the Sophomores 19-13, after having been turned back Tuesday night by the Freshmen. It was the Sophomores first defeat in the Class Basketball Tournament as they had won over the Juniors in a game last week.

Using the new center throw in for the first time on the hill, it proved quite a speed up to the old way. This system is giving the ball to the team scored upon instead of the old way of taking turns at receiving the ball in center after a goal is made.

The game was a scrappy one with many tie balls. Fouls were frequent but not serious. Had the Seniors made many more fouls, the Sophomores may have won on foul shots as Kitty Poage was sinking them five times out of eight.

McPherson was the outstanding player of the night, and also high scorer, totaling a count of eight points. However, the combination of Watts, Paulette, and Steek for the Seniors, clicked nicely with effective passwork and scored ten of the Seniors' 19 points.

#### LINE-UP

Seniors	Sophomores
Hansell --- RF	Poage
Mac Pherson --- LF	Roller
Fortman --- CF	Kilby
Porch --- RG	Hawley
Ellett --- LG	Price
Buckingham --- CG	Adair

## Arts Still Important

State College, Pa.—(ACP)—While the present trend for college students is to place emphasis on technical courses, Dr. Charles C. Wagner, assistant dean of the school of liberal arts here, urges those interested in the liberal arts field not to be influenced by today's emergency conditions.

"Before the present emergency, technological jobs were few, and this will be the situation when the present crisis is over," Dr. Wagner said.

"Too many students have the idea that technical subjects are the only important ones now, and are overlooking the part played by the liberal artist in defense," he added.

Many positions are open both in the army and civilian life, where the liberal artist is much in demand, he pointed out. Particular attention was called to the quartermaster corps, public relations and finances, and the publicity department of the army. Numerous jobs are now available in the fields of economics, sociology and mathematics.

"Students should look forward to long-aim objectives rather than short-aim objectives," Wagner asserted.

The Y. W. C. A. devotional speaker Sunday night will be Dick Gammon, who is a student at Union Theological Seminary. He's a young and excellent speaker. Devotionals will be at 7:00 p. m. in Monroe Auditorium.